

CIA SITUATION ROOM, PRESENTATION STAFF, ORE

1. Operation

- a. The CIA Situation Room will be operated and maintained, for the Director, Central Intelligence Agency and his staff, by the Presentation Staff, ORE.
- b. The Situation Room will be operated, for purposes of control and briefing of visitors, by the Chief, Presentation Staff, ORE.

2. Maintenance

Maintenance of the Situation Room will be the responsibility of the Graphics Division, Presentation Staff, ORE.

3. Suggested Outline of Presentation Room Contents

- a. The CIA Situation Room should depict in a manner suitable for ease of assimilation the world situation, from the intelligence viewpoint, as it affects the national security of the United States.
- b. This Room should adequately reflect the operations of the Central Intelligence Agency with regard to the Agency's position and responsibilities under the National Security Council.
- c. The Situation Room should contain an integrated presentation of the salient features of the world-wide staff, current and basic intelligence situation through the media of cartographic displays, graphic studies, charts, pictorial presentations, etc., geared into CIA assigned responsibilities to show productivity as it affects the national policy makers.
- d. Only such information should be displayed in the Situation Room, through the various medias mentioned in 3c above, that are actually the responsibility and concern of this Agency. Information, similar to that mentioned, in other IAC Control and Situation Rooms will not be gathered and presented to effect a duplication of their effort, but only when it is deemed desirable to reflect certain component portions of that information which is needed and readily available when a phase of Central Intelligence Agency operations is concerned.
- e. The Situation Room should play an important part both in the indoctrination of authorized high level personnel and in providing a service for working level personnel of the operating offices of the Central Intelligence Agency.